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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Applicant : Anders Bengt Ingemar Hallin et al.  
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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Sir/Madam:

This communication is filed in response to the Notice of Abandonment dated October 6, 2006 (copy enclosed) and the Decision on Petition dated November 21, 2006 (copy enclosed). The Decision on Petition indicated that Applicant must submit a Petition to Revive Under 37 CFR 1.137(b) and a Renewed Petition Under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2) to withdraw the subject application from issue. In accordance with said Decision the following documents are enclosed:

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Petition, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date indicated below.

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December 7, 2006  
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1. Petition for Revival Under 37 CFR 1.137(b);
2. Renewed Petition to Withdraw from Issue Under 37 CFR(c)(2) and Request for Continued Examination;
3. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal (PTO/SB/30) (\*);
4. Request for Withdrawl of Foreign Priority Claim and Foreign Priority Claim (courtesy copy of Swedish Patent Application No. 0303234-9 filed December 1, 2003 is attached) (\*); and
5. Request to Correct Inventorship in accordance with 37 CFR 1.48 (\*).

It is noted that a (\*) RCE, a (\*) Request for Withdrawl of Foreign Priority Claim and Foreign Priority Claim and a (\*) Request to Correct Inventorship were previously submitted to the U.S. Patent Office. However, due to the unintentional abandonment of the subject application, Applicants have not received any official communication indicating a decision on the part of the U.S. Patent Office was made. Therefore, for the sake of completeness and accuracy, Applicants request confirmation that these documents have been reviewed by the U.S. Patent Office, as well as confirmation that the foreign priority and inventorship in the subject application have been changed accordingly.

Regarding the fees due, Applicants note that a check in the amount of \$3,990.00 was paid to the Commissioner of Patent and TM's on November 6, 2006 (a copy of the canceled check is enclosed), which paid the following fees:

- a) \$1,500.00 for the Petition to Revive Unintentionaly Abandoned Application under 37 CFR 1.17(m);
- b) \$1,700.00 for the Issue Fee under 37 CFR 1.18(a) and the Publication Fee under 37 CFR 1.18(d);

c) \$790.00 for the Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR 1.17(e).

Since the enclosed documents are merely being re-submitted, it is believed that no additional fees are due. However, if any additional fees are due, please charge said fees to Deposit Account No. 16-0820, Order No. 36381.

Respectfully submitted,

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